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Lisbon, October 4. *N. S.*

THE Chatham Man of War is arrived here in four Days from Gibraltar, and brings an Account, that the City of Cordova in Andaluſia had declared for his Catholick Majeſty. The Captain adds, that being in Company with the Grafton, and another Britiſh Man of War, they took in the Height of Cales two Genoeſe Ships richly laden, having, beſides other valuable Goods, four hundred thouſand Pieces of Eight on Board, all belonging to ſeveral French Merchants; and that the Grafton had carried the Prizes into Port Mahon. The Portugueze Army hath paſſed the Guadiana, and is penetrating into Andaluſia, in order to oblige that Province to declare for King Charles III.

Vienna, October 8. *N. S.* This Court having received Intimations of a Treaty on Foot between the Pope and the Princes of Italy, his Imperial Majeſty has ordered the Marquis de Prié, his Miniſter at the Court of Rome, to enquire diligently what Foundations there are for ſuch a Report. General Heiſter having been lately indiſpoſed, has left the Command of the Army in Hungary to General Cuſani, and is gone to a Seat he hath in Stiria. The Emperor is frequently in Conference with his Miniſters upon the Publick Affairs, eſpecially thoſe in Spain; and it is confirmed, that his Imperial Majeſty has ordered a Reinforcement of ſix thouſand Men to be ſent immediately to King Charles the Third. Our Advices from Conſtantinople tell us, General Ribinski, the King of Poland's Ambaſſador to the Ottoman Port, was ſpeedily expected there; that it was not doubted but that he would meet with a very favourable Reception, and that his Negotiations would have the deſired Succeſs. It is ſaid, the late Vizier having affected too much Popularity during his Adminiſtration, the Populace ſeem much diſguſted at his Diſgrace, and endeavoured to excite the Janiſaries to a Revolt. We hear from Poland, that the Garriſon of Caminiec has lately received a Reinforcement, and conſiſts at preſent of three thouſand Men, plentifully ſupplied with Ammunition and Proviſions: This is owing to the Care of Count Fleming, General of the Artillery, who has likewiſe ordered five thouſand Poliſh Horſe to be quartered near that Place, and the Fortreſs of St. Trinity.

From the Camp before Aire, October 20. *N. S.* The Lodgments along the firſt Ditch, at the Attack on the ſide of St. Quentin, being joined the 18th at Night, we have ſince enlarged and perfected the ſame, and made five Overtures in order to lay the Bridges, which we ſhall begin this Night, though the wet Weather, and the Marſhineſs of the Ground, make our Approaches very difficult. On the ſide of Lambré all the Bridges over the firſt Ditch are finiſhed, and we have carried on ſeveral Saps from our Lodgments on the other ſide, which are advanced within a few Paces of the Paliſadoes, and we have already made very practicable Breaches at both Attacks. The Mareſchal d'Harcourt having marched all his Troops over the Canche, has ſent part of the Houſhold away to their Winter Quarters, cantoned the Horſe in the Country between the Canche and the Autie, and encamped the Foot in one Line from Hedin to Montreuil, having his Head Quarters at St. André au Bois.

Bruſſels, October 22. *N. S.* We underſtand by our Letters of the 18th from Paris, that a Courier from Spain had brought Advice, that the Dukes of Anjou and Vendome were gone from Valladolid towards Salamanca, where the Army is to aſſemble, and be joined by the Troops expected from the Frontiers of Portugal, under the Command of the Marquis de Bay. Count Staremberg broke up on the 24th from the Neighbourhood of Madrid, and is marched towards Andaluſia, in order to join the Troops that are moving likewiſe from Portugal, after which he will advance towards the Enemy. Theſe Letters add, that the Cities of Toledo and Segovia had ſubmitted to his Catholick Majeſty, who has ordered a Declaration to be Publiſhed at Madrid, Toledo, and other Places, wherein he commands all the Grandees that have followed the Duke of Anjou, and are ſtill in his Intereſts, to quit that Prince, threatning otherwiſe to Confiſcate their Eſtates. All the Spaniſh Priſoners of State that are at preſent at Bayonne, are to be removed from thence to the Caſtle of Vincennes near Paris. The French King has ordered all his Intendants in the Maritime Provinces to declare, that the Engliſh and Dutch Fiſhermen are not to be Moleſted in any manner whatſoever, either by the Men of War, Privateers, or any other Ships belonging to France. Letters from Francfort of the 15th Inſtant adviſe, that the two Armies continued in their former Poſts; that the Repartition of Winter Quarters for the Germans was agreed upon, but that there was no likelihood of their ſeparating 'till the Campaign in Flanders was brought to a Conclu on. The Prince of Niewbourg, great Maſter of the Teutonick Order, arrived at Francfort the 13th, and will ſet out from thence to Mayence as ſoon as he has Surveyed a new Palace he had ordered to be built in that City.

Hague, October 21. *N. S.* According to our Advices from the Frontiers, the French have already begun to make their Forces file off towards their Winter Quarters, thoſe of the Houſhold being upon their March to Paris. The 15th Inſtant at Night a ſtrong Body of Troops, conſiſting of Salablanca's Spaniſh Regiment, and two Squadrons of Daudignie's Dragoons, marched out of Bruſſels at the